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Excellent Cuisine.  
 Every Convenience for Tourists.  
 T. F. DA CRUZ, Manager.  
 Boston, 1st October, 1901. (a1637)







## THE HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LD.

The report of the board of directors to be presented at the ordinary meeting of shareholders, to be held at the Company's Hotel, on the 27th inst., at 4 p.m., is as follows:—  
The directors now beg to submit their report for the half-year ended the 30th June, 1902.

**ACCOUNTS.**  
The profit on working account amounted to \$116,370.84, as compared with \$125,101.02 for corresponding period of 1901, being a decrease of \$8,730.08.

The profit and loss account, including the sum of \$377.49 brought forward from 31st December, 1901, shows a credit balance of \$112,468.05, which your directors propose to appropriate as follows:—  
To pay a dividend of 12 per cent. for the half year \$72,000.00  
To write off from value of furniture and fixtures 10,000.00  
To transfer to repairs and renewals account 10,000.00  
To add to reserve fund 5,000.00  
To write off from value of steam-launch 1,000.00  
To carry forward to new account 14,468.05

**DIRECTORS.**

Mr. W. Parfitt has been granted twelve months' leave of absence, and his place has been taken by Mr. W. Hutton. Mr. Hutton, who was appointed to the position of Chairman, has been elected to the position of Chairman.

Mr. E. Osborne has been elected to the position of Chairman, and Mr. Hutton has been elected to the position of Chairman.

The accounts have been audited by Messrs. H. U. Jeffries and A. B. Lowe, who offer themselves for re-election.

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Chairman.

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Less 500 debentures not issued \$500,000.00

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Profit and loss account \$112,468.05

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**ASSETS.**

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**REPAIRS AND RENEWALS ACCOUNT.**

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To repairs and renewals \$1,000.00

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**CHURCH SERVICES.**

**ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.**

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## HONGKONG OF COMMERCE

At the monthly meeting of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce held in the Chamber Room, City Hall, on Tuesday, 12th Aug., 1902, at 4 p.m., present:—Hon. C. S. Sharp (Chairman), Mr. W. Poate (Vice-Chairman), Hon. C. W. Dickson, Messrs. A. Haupt, E. A. Hewett, N. A. Sides, J. R. M. Smith, H. E. Tomkins, Hon. R. Sheehan (ex-officio), and A. B. Lowe (Secretary).

**MINUTES.**

The minutes of the monthly meeting of the 22nd ultimo were read and confirmed.

**FROM-WARNINGS.**

Read letter from the Colonial Secretary dated 31st ultimo, enclosing report from the Acting Director of the Kowloon Observatory, in reply to the Chamber's letter of 4th ultimo.

A letter was also read, which had been addressed to the Chamber by eight masters of Chinese coast steamers, from Swatow on 4th instant, complaining of the inadequate storm-warnings issued by the Kowloon Observatory.

Some discussion followed and it was decided to address the Government again in the matter.

**PROPOSED LICENSING OF PILOTS.**

Read letter from the Colonial Secretary of 16th ult. stating that the Officer Administering the Government had had under consideration the report, forwarded by the Chamber on 18th June last, on this subject, but that he cannot yet say whether he will adopt the suggestion of the Chamber, or whether he will place the matter before the Government.

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2. From Harbour Master's to Blake Pier.

## SHIPPING.

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